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For: VARIABLE GAIN AMPLIFIER

**REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated December 23, 2002, the following having been extended one (1) month, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-54 remain in the present application.

In the Examiner's Office Action, the Examiner issued a Restriction Requirement, and requested that Applicant elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted if no generic claim is finally held allowable. The Office Action alleges that currently no claims are generic. The alleged patentably distinct species are as follows:

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